IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

In re Application of:)
) Group Art Unit: 1637
Makiko FLISS et al) Examiner: Fredman
Serial No. 10/601,392) Examiner; Fredman
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For: MITOCHONDRIAL DOSIMETER

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT and AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed January 4, 2006, applicants elect as a single mutation the deletion of C at nucleotide 302.

Claims that are readable on this species are: 39, 40, 78, and 85. However, claims 39 and 40 have been amended to recite the elected species only, therefore claims 78 and 85 have been cancelled as redundant.

Please enter the following amendment. A petition for a five month extension of time accompanies this paper. We believe no additional fee is due in connection with this filling. If a fee is due, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0733.